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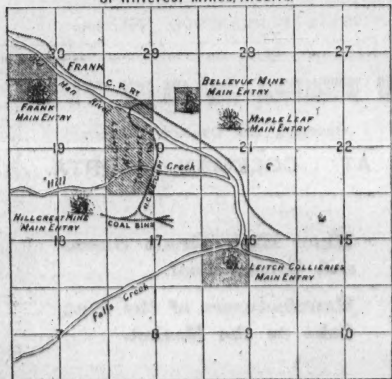
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CAMPAIGN IS OPENED

FIRST MEETING HELD IN PASS IN INTEREST OF REDUCTION.

SOME FINE SPEECHES

Debate held in open house at Coleman. Large audience listened to presentation of issues by Able Speakers. Enthusiastic gathering.

The campaign for seat in the house of commons in the approaching election was formally opened in The Pass Tuesday evening by a meeting held in the opera house at Coleman. It was a most successful affair. Addresses were delivered by A. B. McDonald, candidate of the liberal party, the Hon. C. W. Cross, Attorney General and Minister of Agriculture and the Hon. J. A. Calder, manager of the Edmonton Bulletin. The audience was all that the opera house seated comfortably and the speeches, all of them good, were listened to with marked interest and much enthusiasm.

Alex Cameron, president of the Coleman liberal association, presided at the meeting and first introduced Mr. McDonald who effectively disproved the assertion that has often been made by his opponents, that he could not talk. He delivered an exceedingly interesting address outlining his position on the issues that will be before the people in the campaign and dealing in interesting manner with the acts of the liberal party during the twelve years it has been in power. Mr. McDonald made a distinctly favorable impression and was warmly applauded.

Mr. Cross, who followed, took occasion to deal with provincial affairs. He spoke of the administration of the criminal laws by his department and in pointing to the trial and conviction of members of the lumber combine, illustrated the manner in which the great and small are alike and with exact impartiality, being required to obey the law.

Touching the telephone question, Mr. Cross said that when the government came to power, the various parts of the province were clamoring for telephone communication with other sections and the Bell company, enjoying a monopoly, declined to extend trunk lines and afford the relief prayed for. The government recognized the need of such service and at the first session of the legislature took steps to inaugurate a government service. The Bell people served notice that they intended to make the effort of the government a failure but the government went ahead and built trunk lines and open local exchanges until the Bell company saw it was going to fail and open negotiations to sell. The result has been that nearly all parts of the province are connected by telephone which would not have been possible for many years if ever but for the action of the government.

Touching upon the eight hour law and the compensation act passed at the last session Mr. Cross said criticism had come from some quarters concerning those acts, the latter being characterized by some as socialistic in its tendencies, but he considered the eight hour law in the interest not only of the miner but all the people and if the compensation was socialistic in its tendencies it was socialistic in that character as he considered it a matter of mere justice and he believed that when the act has been in force long enough to be given a fair trial there will be no objection to it from any quarter.

Mr. Cross' remarks were warmly received and he was roundly applauded as he gave way to Mr. Finley, the next speaker.

Mr. Finley spoke but briefly after which Mr. Marshall was introduced. Mr. Marshall delivered one of the most pleasing addresses ever heard in the district. He reviewed the history of politics in Canada from before confederation, showing how party politics came into being, how the arbitrary rules of the country of that day created the conservative party and by a gerrymander of the country established in it power, how by successive acts of a similar character it maintained itself in power until the revolt came in 1896. Comparing the two parties he showed the difference in their methods by pointing to the redistribution effected by the liberals wherein for the first time the representation in the house of commons for all of Canada was on a fair basis of population.

Touching upon the alleged scandal of the session just ended, the speaker referred first to the allegations of timber land frauds and showed that in every case where fraud was charged it had been clearly shown that the lands were disposed of by competition and for a price which had been considered fair at the time of sale. This subject was eluded by the statement that before there were any charges made with reference to timber land sales, Minister Oliver had inaugurated a new reform whereby no timber lands can be disposed of in future until a government agent has visited the land put a valuation upon it and the land must then be sold at auction and may not be sold for less than the upset price thus established.

Dealing with the alleged land frauds the speaker cited the Saskatchewan Valley Land company case as a fair sample, that being the one of which most was made in the house and showed that whereas, prior to the advent of that company the land had been exactly three sections in the territory affected, the company was required before being permitted to purchase its land, to undertake to install thirty-two settlers to the township. When an inspection came to be made by the government to ascertain if the contract had been kept, it was found that sixty-three settlers had been installed. He considered that celebrated deal not only as not being the infamous transaction it has been painted by the opposition but as in fact the best immigration agency that had ever been devised.

Comparing the work of the two parties with reference to the disposition of public lands, the speaker showed that the conservatives had given about 32,000,000 acres, to railroads and had only given the settler about 8,000,000 whereas the liberal party had disposed of less than 3,000,000 acres in land grants and while it had given considerably over 20,000,000 to the settler.

The remarks of Mr. Cross about the labor legislation subject reminded the speaker that the liberal government at Ottawa had done something for labor. He recalled that the conservative party when in power made a pretense in behalf of labor by appointing a commission to investigate conditions. That commission cost the country something like \$50,000 and reported in favor of creating a bureau of labor but that was the end, it was no more. When the liberals came into power, one of the first acts of the government was to abolish the sweat shop system in connection with all contracts let by the government; later it inserted a fair wage clause in all contracts for government work whereby the contractor had to agree to pay the prevailing wage on all government work. Numerous other instances of the liberal government evincing an interest in the man who works were cited and lastly the passage of the Lomieux bill, which though it might not be perfect, was a step in advance of any other government, so much so that the British and American governments had recently had emissaries in Canada to study its workings and proposed to copy it.

Mr. Marshall's address was strong and logical throughout and when he finished the hall thundered with enthusiastic applause.

Three hearty cheers for the candidate and three more for the King brought the meeting to a close.

The Rev. Grant of Fernie and family visited at the home of Dr. Macdonald this week.

TO BUILD TO HUDSON BAY

GOVERNMENT WILL START RAILROAD TO NUNITS THIS YEAR.

ANNOUNCEMENT MADE

Premier Scott of Saskatchewan Returns From Ottawa With Definite Information Relative to Government's Plans Will Start at Once.

Premier Scott of Saskatchewan, is back from Ottawa. Along with him J. A. Calder, province treasurer, Mr. Scott went to Ottawa to press for railway extensions to Hudson Bay. Seen by a reporter and asked as to the success of the mission, Mr. Scott said "It was highly successful and satisfactory as a whole. The Hudson Bay road is an immediate certainty and I am delighted as I think every person in the west must be. What we have striven and hoped for during the past twenty years is at last definitely in sight. The immediate construction of this road is pressing and earnestly desired by everybody in Saskatchewan."

In the provincial election campaign of 1905 we pledged ourselves distinctly to spare no efforts to induce the Dominion government to provide a railway to the bay at once.

In a very few days Hon. Mr. Graham will have his survey parties on the ground choosing the location of the line to Churchill. So far as Saskatchewan is concerned I doubt whether any possible announcement could be made on any subject that would be received with a degree of satisfaction equal to that which will be created by the intelligence of the immediate building of the Hudson Bay railway."

NEW CHURCH FOR FRANK

There is promise that the visit to Frank last week of the Rev. T. C. Buchanan, president of the Methodist conference and J. M. Harrison, chairman of the district, may result in the building in Frank of a new church.

The visit of the gentlemen in question was for the purpose of investigating the advisability of establishing an institutional church and it is understood that after looking over the field their decision was in favor of going ahead with the undertaking.

The report is that the Canadian-American company will be asked to donate a lot and that if the request is granted the exchequer officials will provide for the erection of a large building on the institutional plan and that special attention will be devoted to the club phase of the work. The building, plans for which have been practically decided upon, will be a large one and the club will have provision for billiard, card and reading rooms with a view to making it especially attractive to the young men of the town.

Should the plan materialize Frank will be indebted to the Rev. Hudson as it was on his initiative that the undertaking was commenced.

Notice of Dividend

Notice is hereby given that the International Coal & Coke company, limited, will upon August 1, 1906, pay a dividend of one and one-quarter per cent (1 1/4) on its issued and outstanding capital stock. Said dividend will be paid to the persons in whose name the stock stands upon the books of the company at the close of business on July 20, 1906. Any person holding stock that has not been transferred into his name should send such stock, for transfer to the Union Trust company at St. Paul, or the Royal Trust company at Montreal or Toronto, transfer agents of the company.

Dated at Spokane Washington, this 6th day of July, 1906.

N. G. Graves,
Secretary, International Coal & Coke Co., Ltd.

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RAILWAY CHANGES RUMORED

There are several rumors floating about just now regarding changes of officials on the C.P.R. It is said that Superintendent Brownlee, who is now in charge of affairs at Calgary as general superintendent will take that position permanently and that Mr. Price will be removed. Mr. Chudleigh, who is now acting superintendent at Cranbrook, is said to be booked for a superintendency at a divisional point on the prairie. Mr. Jamieson, who is now superintendent at Winnipeg, is said to be arranging to leave the service entirely and Mr. Erickson is to come back to Cranbrook as superintendent of the Crow. These are simply rumors that are floating around and no one seems to know what will actually take place.

125,000,000 Bushels This Year

Second vice-president Whyte of the C.P.R. with a party of Winnipeg newspaper and grain men, is on a tour of inspection of western crops. Mr. Whyte has stated that well advised as his company was kept with regard to the western crop conditions he was greatly surprised at the prospects and from what he had seen of the country in the course of his trip, he had a hesitation in estimating this year's crop at \$125,000,000 bushels.

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Frank News in Brief

Alex Coyette, dealer in furniture and wall paper.

W. D. McCallum, of Calgary, general agent for Alberta of the Sun Life Insurance company, accompanied by Mrs. McCallum, spent several days in The Pass during the week.

A local of the United Mine Workers of America was organized at the Maple Leaf mine Monday by District Vice President John Dalvin. The first officers are J. Coghlin, president and H. Blake, secretary.

W. J. Budd of the Rocky Mountains Cement company came down Wednesday morning from Calgary. He states that the company is now grading for its side tracks and that as soon as the tracks are in the installation of machinery will begin.

Viozeo Zeto, the Italian arrested recently at Fernie on a charge of having stabbed Thomas Donohue at Lillo two years ago, had his trial at Macleod during the week. He was convicted and sentenced to two years imprisonment.

A re-arrangement in the police force took place during the week. Constable Schreyer who was stationed at Coleman returned to Macleod, Constable Fath of Frank was moved to Coleman and Constable Frayer came from Macleod to replace Constable Parish.

The Norris and Rowe circus which played at Blairmore Thursday last, was by far the best show of the kind that has ever visited The Pass. It is very much to be regretted that the attendance was very small as that fact is likely to result in the circus passing us by in the future.

Frank presents one more evidence of progress. In the new business block of the Frank Wine & Spirit company the town has the first brick business building to be built in The Pass and now the first cement sidewalk is being laid. The building and walk afford a great improvement to the appearance of the main street.

In the railroads subsidy bill which passed the house of commons last week no provision was made for a subsidy for the proposed road from Cowley up the North Fork. That this was so is due to the fact that the company which holds the old charter has never been able to make a start at building and it was thought desirable to give the company another chance. If nothing is done this year, it now charter will be granted another company and the subsidy will no doubt be extended to that concern.

Jack Williams of Lillo returned from Spokane last week.

Thomas Frayer of Frayer & Sinclair, his daughter Polly and Captain Beebe of Blairmore took in the Winnipeg fair last week.

Jordan Steeves had the misfortune Wednesday to suffer a severe fracture of his right arm. With other children he was playing around A. V. Lang's barn and in jumping from the loft, fell on the arm.

Jas. A. Johnson arrived from Montana the first of the week to assume the general superintendency of the Canadian-American company's affairs. Accompanying Mr. Johnson were Mr. Gebro's children who will visit some time with friends here.

Constable Martin of Lillo was among the lucky members of the mounted police to be drafted to represent the R.N.W.M.P. at the tercentenary at Quebec and is now enjoying the pleasures of that great celebration.

An important business deal was consummated during the week whereby the Great West Fuel & Trading company disposed of its business to Fred Wolstenholme who leases the warehouse and lumber yard of the company and will conduct the business in future. E. T. Fitzsimmons, formerly manager of the Great West company expects to remove to Spokane.

NOTICE—All accounts owing to the Great West Fuel and Trading Co. Ltd. must be settled on or before August 1st or the same will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. This action is necessary as the company has retired from business and its affairs must be settled forthwith.

The Great West Fuel & Trading Co. Limited,
E. T. Fitzsimmons, Manager.

An interesting endurance test was witnessed at the Blairmore race track Monday when Stuart Douglas undertook to ride the brown mare Kit, owned by Fred Thompson, ninety five miles in fourteen hours but failed. The test was the result of a bet between Douglas and Steve Mannahan, the latter betting Douglas could not make the ninety five miles in fourteen hours. Douglas started at 9 o'clock in the morning and at 7:30 in the evening had covered seventy and a half miles. At that time both he and his mount were all in and he was obliged to quit. The horse finished in better condition than the man.

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